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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of )  
Roberto Padovani ) For: Method and Apparatus for  
Serial No. 08/858,245 ) Optimization of a Cellular  
Filed: May 19, 1997 ) Network  
Group Art Unit: 2682

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: Thanh Nguyen, Examiner

Dear Sir:

In response to Office Action Made Final dated April 17, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is filed herewith.

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